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**AMENDMENT "A" PRIOR TO ACTION AND  
SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

**Sir:**

Applicants herewith submit an amendment and substitute specification in the above-referenced PCT application, and respectfully request entry of same prior to examination in the United States National Examination Stage.

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Cancel the specification as filed, and insert therefore the substitute specification provided herewith.

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